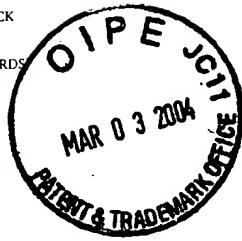


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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is Amendment A for entry in the above-identified application.

— Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

— To secure the approval of the Examiner for proposed amendments to the drawings, enclosed are the following:

— Letter to the Official Draftsperson;

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- Set of _____ (____) sheets of drawings containing Figures _____ including the proposed amendments therein; and
- A duplicate set of the _____ (____) sheets of drawings with the changes therein highlighted in red.

X To render the transmitted Amendment A timely filed enclosed are the following:

X Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time; and

X Credit Card Payment Form PTO 2038 in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time and extra claims fee.

X A Certificate of Express Mail Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10.

— No other additional fee is required.

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- X Credit Card Payment Form PTO 2038 in the amount of \$140.00 to cover the additional claim fee.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.
- X Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

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A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Dated this 3rd day of March, 2004.

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- Transmittal Letter for Amendment A (3 pgs.) (in duplicate)
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